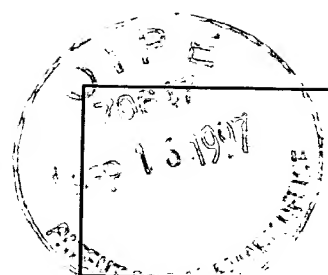


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**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
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Applicant respectfully requests a four month extension of time in which to file a
response to the Notice of Appeal filed March 21, 1997, for which a response period
expiring on May 21, 1997 was set. The extended period expires on September 22, 1997
(September 21, 1997 being a Sunday).

1. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the 37 C.F.R. §
1.136(a) extension fee of **\$1470.00** to the deposit account of **Kenyon & Kenyon**,
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